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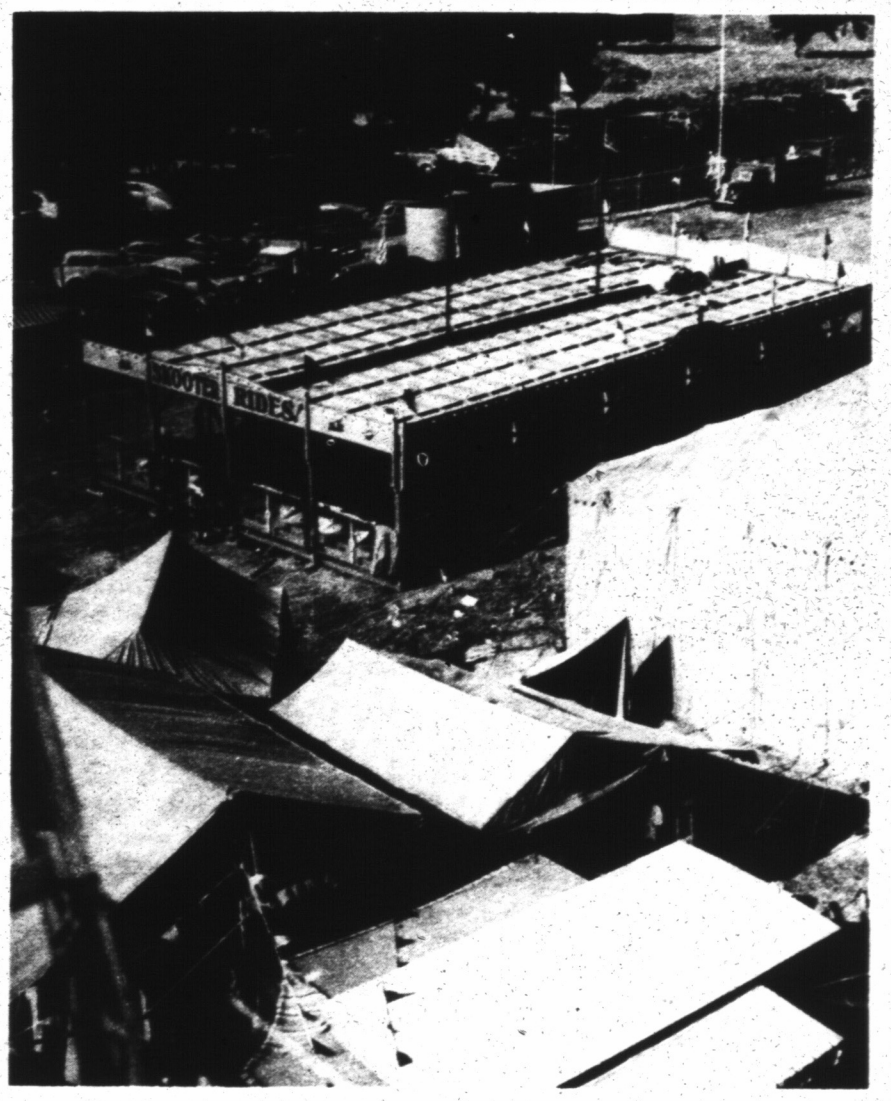

Monterey District Fair Ends And Everybody Seems Happy

It's all over now. Thousands of visitors to the Monterey District Fair enjoyed the variety of exhibits, munched hamburgers, watched with bated breath the stunts of the aerial artists, became separated from their families or friends in the confusion and in general had a good old-fashioned time. Fair officials announce the crowd as a capacity one, and say that the receipts are in excess of last year.

Plans are already being made for next year's celebration, which will be even better, it is said. Rough spots in the program, learned through the experience of last week, will be ironed out and many improvements will be made.

The horse show, presented each evening under the direction of Dick Collins, proved to be one of the most popular features of the Fair, while the livestock tent ran a close second. The exhibits of the 4-H Clubs of California, the junior farmers, drew large crowds. The civic and commercial exhibits were packed full of interest for the spectators.

Nearly 10,000 persons are said to have visited the show on the opening day, with the largest crowd in attendance on Sunday. The parachute jump, made successfully into the polo field, was the main attraction on the last day.

The large picture of the Fair was taken from the top of the Ferris wheel. The smaller picture is that of the grand champion Percheron, which attracted much attention in the livestock tent.

CARMEL MAN KIDNAPED

N. H. Kleinschmidt, Carmel, told Monterey police Monday that three men had kidnaped him as he was leaving the Monterey District Fair Saturday night.

The three men, one a mulatto and the other a blond, no description was obtained of the third culprit, asked Kleinschmidt for a ride to Monterey from the Fair. They then pulled a gun and forced him to take what was believed to be a doped drink. They relieved him of a small amount of cash and a small check.

He was then taken to a night club on Cannery Row where he escaped and hid under a cannery. Someone saw him under the cannery and called police.

Gosh Darn! School Starts In Only About Twelve Days

No more all day picnics at the beach for Carmel kids, no more long hikes up the valley on week days; tennis racquets, dolls and marbles will be relegated into the class of unimportant things and their places will be taken by dog-eared books, chewed pencils and ink-smudged compositions. For school opens on August 30.

School opening doesn't work such a hardship on Carmel youngsters, however, for a survey among parents shows that an unusual number of local students really like to go to school. This fact, although it would be scoffed at in many towns, isn't really hard to imagine when one strolls through the corridors of the Sunset School and sees the fine educational facilities which have been installed, and when one talks to the teachers who make school a joy instead of a dull routine.

The school board has been very busy during vacation, and announce a great many improvements, which include new seats in the auditorium balcony, one new class room next to the music room in the main building, exterior painting of the primary and kindergarten building, new heating units in the same building, fireproofing work on the auditorium and the interiors of the upper grade rooms painted.

Mr. Walter Bartmann has been added to the teaching staff, and will instruct one of the upper grades. Mr. Bartmann is from San Francisco. Anna Marie Baer returns to her duties as art instructor after a year's absence, which she spent studying at Columbia University, Mrs. Helen Poulsen has been named as cafeteria supervisor.

The registration last year was up to 438 students, and a P. T. A. "roundup," made during the summer, indicates that there will be a large increase this fall.

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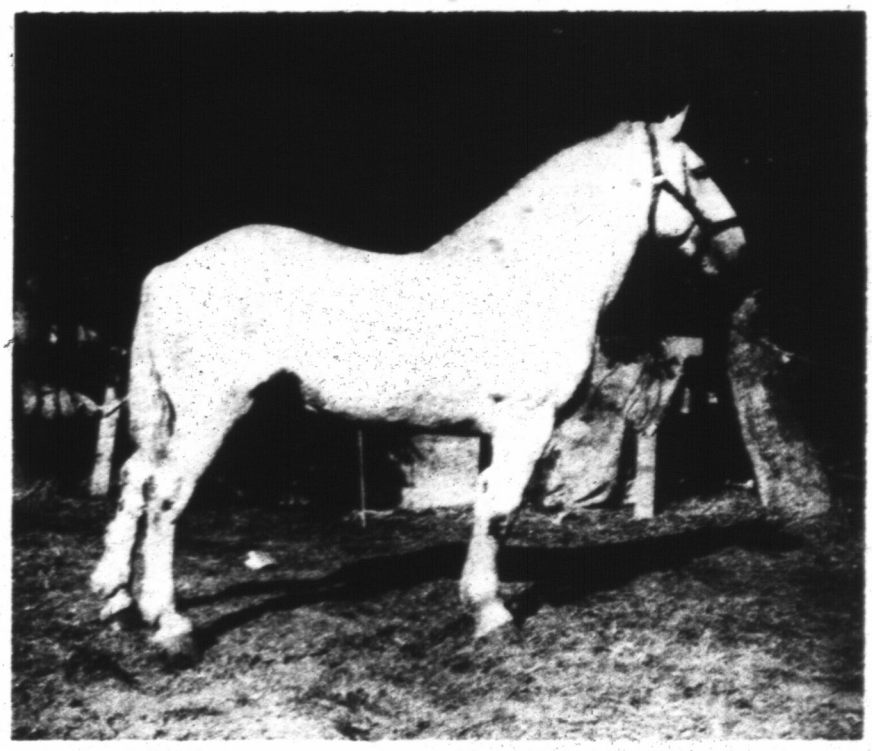
Forest Hill School, in Carmel Woods, which has played an important part in Carmel educational circles, opens for the fall term on August 30, according to Mrs. Fenton Grigsby, director.

This charming school, which combines individual instruction with home atmosphere, maintains a nursery school which receives children from the age of three to five years, as well as an upper school for students from eight to fourteen years.

Elementary and advanced training in the arts, dancing, drama, modeling, story telling, crafts and domestic science are an important part of the school curriculum. Many Carmel parents will remember the delightful program given by the students at the close of school in June, with the children in complete charge of the activities.

CHIMNEY FIRE

The Carmel fire department answered a call Saturday forenoon to extinguish a fire in the chimney of a home on Camino Real north of Ocean. The blaze was controlled before damage could be done to the roof and nearby structures.



DISCUSS TENNIS COURTS

At a meeting of the Carmel Park and Playground Commission last Tuesday evening held in the office of Corum Jackson, commission chairman, a question involving the operation of the city's new tennis courts was discussed.

Under the present system of operation the courts are open from 2 until 6 in the evening. If players wish to play at any other time they must find Corum Jackson, keeper of the keys, and when they are finished return the keys to him. The nets, which are owned by the WPA, must be watched lest some enthusiast endeavor to start courts of his own.

It was suggested that a tennis club be formed which would accept the responsibility of taking over the courts. The commission appointed Mrs. Paul Flanders to investigate the possibilities of such a club.

The commission also voted that the city council complete the walk at the southwest corner of Devendorf park in conformity to park walks. The main objection to the present walk is that in rainy weather a pedestrian is well squirted when he steps on the tilting stepping stones, water having collected underneath.

Scene from "Kind Lady"

On the set of "Kind Lady," the last play to be presented by the St. James Repertory Company in the Golden Bough Green Room, are Peggy Burke as the kind lady, "Mary Herries," Gorge T. Bolton as the crook, "Henry Abbott," Patricia Lee as "Mrs. Edwards," and Ellen Leslie as "Ada."

Mrs. James Vernon Short and her son, Irving, after spending the summer here, left Monday for a few days' visit with her sisters, Mrs. Irving Wright and Mrs. Raymond Wilson, at the Wilson ranch near Alma. She will leave there the last of this week to return to her home in Berkeley.

Florence Brown and Liz Houghton left last week for a two weeks' camping trip at Silver Lake.

Peter Fredickson was in town last week end to see "Tatters." Peter, who used to do sets for the Forest Theatre and Ted Kuster, left five years ago to work with the "Drunkard" in Los Angeles. He is now in San Francisco doing sets again for Mr. Kuster.

Tommy Hooper is taking a month's fishing trip to the Santa Cruz Islands and down the coast of Mexico with Galatin Powers. Also on the trip is David Prince, formerly of La Playa Hotel, now of the Commodore Hotel in San Francisco.

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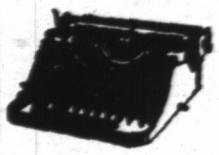

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Golfer

Don Edwards of San Jose is one of the most promising golfers in the annual California State Golf Championship being held this week at Del Monte. The championship has attracted many of the best golfers of the state and the results of the qualifying round show that the tournament will be a close contest.

Douglas School will open on the 15th of September. Due to the early enrollment of the children on the peninsula, this year's winter school will have a large number of pupis in both the day and boarding departments. There are also quite a few students from other states.

One addition to the faculty is Mr. John Straker of Oxford and Sussex University, England.

Plans are being made for an active scholastic and sports program for the school year. As in the past, there will be in addition to scholastic work classes in tennis, archery, rifle, riding and polo, swimming, golf, and fencing.

John von Salza spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Linsay K. Gentry at their home at Jack's Peak.

CARMEL EDITORS FIGHT

This newsy little piece appeared in the Oakland Tribune August 5, in a column titled "The Knave." Perhaps the only true statement is contained in the last paragraph.

CARMEL'S AT IT AGAIN

Carmel has fights of many kinds. Its artists, officials and business men have disputed a variety of subjects, including the color of sidewalks, the existence of a stop sign, and the collection of garbage.

Now there's a new kind of war on in Carmel. It's between the art colony's three newspapers, the Pine Cone, the Californian and the Cymbal. For some weeks they-'ve been throwing editorial uppercuts at one another and at last report no truce was in sight.

"I haven't begun to fight," said Editor W. K. Bassett of the Cymbal.

"Nobody reads the Cymbal," said Editor Ross Miller of the Pine Cone.

"Carmel people read only the Californian," said Editor Palmer Beaudette of the Californian.

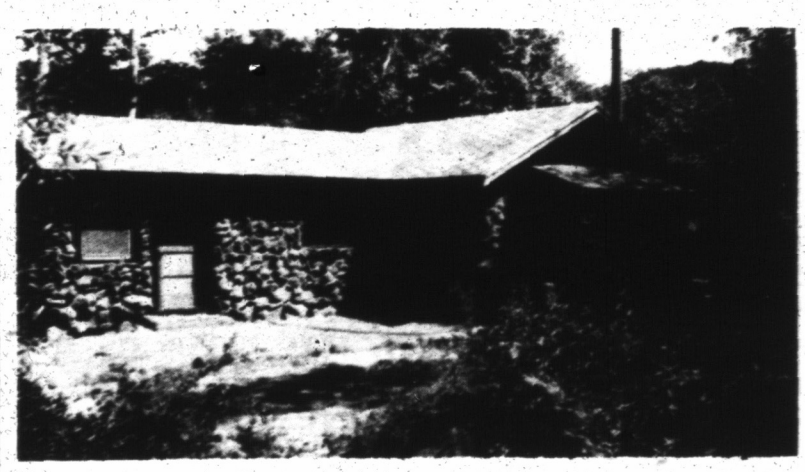
But no one seems to know what it's about.

During the past week the Carmel Fire Department has had three fires reported, the largest of which caused but an estimated $10 damage.

On August 12 a brush fire at Saidee Van Brower's was extinguished with no damage reported. On August 14 a chimney fire at the house of A. B. Walkington, now occupied by Doctor Went, caused an estimated $10 damage. Also on August 14 a brush fire on Carmelo between 12th and 13th was reported with no property damaged.

Miss Pat Coblentz entertained Friday night with a lovely dinner party, followed by dancing at Del Monte. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Mather, Ernestine Morehead, Maxine Harbolt, Beverly Beckett, Wiott Rankin Jr., Delbert Barron, Sam Coblentz, and Quilman Davis.

A Home In The Sunshine



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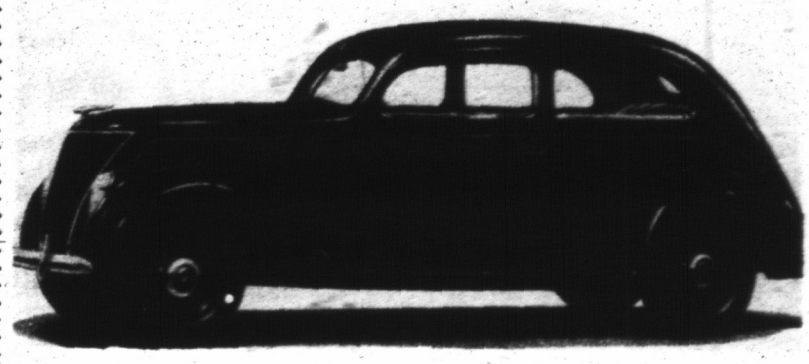

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Watch for Closing Rules of Campaign in Californian Aug. 25.

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Unfortunately, it is very easy to be side-tracked by details in the earnest pursuit of an objective and completely lose track of the ultimate, desired result. Such, we believe, has been the case anent the recall proceedings now being instituted against three councilmen.

In other words, many Carmelites seem to agree that the three members of the present city council who are now up for recall have been, at one time or another, inefficient in the pursuit of their duties. A group of sincere citizens set about an investigation. In an almost passionate effort to find facts to justify their contention that recall was necessary, the investigators apparently lost track of the main objective—that of having the city of Carmel governed more efficiently.

It seems logical to us to assume that no council has been, or will be, perfect. Therefore, it is only fair to judge the present administration, not necessarily on the errors they have made, but rather on what proportion of mistakes they made over and above what even the best and most able council might make.

The reasons the citizens' committee had in supporting a recall movement, as far as we can ascertain, are these: They believe Argyll Campbell to be the best municipal lawyer in the state, or at least a very good one, and that he should continue as city attorney. The crude and impolite and ungracious manner in which the council demanded Campbell's resignation is a sore spot. The council has misspent several thousand dollars in connection with the fire house, the city audit and other matters. Most important, almost everyone objects to the fact that the council, a public insitution, elected by and directly responsible to the public, has conducted public business in secret sessions and has consistently refused to answer for its action. Such an attitude is completely ridiculous.

Our opinion is based on the fact that everyone desires the best possible city government, and is not necessarily interested in personalities.

A representative group of citizens took the initiative in instituting recall proceedings. All that is very well. Now, how can the large proportion of voters who are only interested in seeing the city of Carmel governed as well as possible vote intelligently for better city management when they don't know, when nobody knows, who is destined to take the place of the councilmen who are to be recalled?

We would like to know, before we recall any of the present councilmen, just who will be in line to take their place and do a better job. It appears to us that an effort is being made to recall three councilmen without giving the voters any definite assurance that better men will be on hand to replace them, which is certainly not sensible.

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We are about to make a very humble apology to our readers. Inasmuch as we were wrong, and recognize the fact, we are chagrined and may apologize rather clumsily.

In short, we should never have written that nasty letter to Mr. Bassett. It dealt in personaliies, which is the very poorest sort of journalism, as everyone knows. Perhaps our only justification, if, indeed, there is any such, is that, at the time, we meant what we said. So, we are now in the very embarassing position of having to stand back of what we said and at the same time apologize for having said it. Therefore we apologize for our manner of expression, realizing the while that apologies, coming after the error, are often empty gestures.

Suffice it to say, then, that we recognize that we WERE in poor taste and that inasmuch as we made an error in public, we are making a public apology.

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Everyone who has seen it has said that "Kind Lady" which ended Sunday, being the last performance of the St. James Repertory Company in Carmel, was excellently done. Many old timers have said that it was the best play ever produced in the Village. And yet it was no better than the Repertory company has been producing here all summer. We have it unofficially that the players lost well over $200 every week. That certainly was not as it should have been. Can it be that merit in Carmel must be accompanied by noise? Can it possibly be that Carmel lacks the appreciation for which it is nationally famous?

It was nice to see Yvonne Castle back in Carmel last week. Miss Castle will be remembered for her excellent portrayal of "Portia" in the "Merchant of Venice," which was given at the Forest Theater a few years ago. Miss Castle spent last winter in New York doing winter stock, and is now spending the summer in Southern Califor-

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Word comes from Hollywood that Speirs Ruskell, a former Carmelite, recently eloped to Yuma, Arizona. Speirs is now working for 20th Century Fox.

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Mrs. Rosiland Steller, of Rochester, New York, owner of the Hotel Berkeley, is spending ten days with her friend, Ida M. Theurer, at Colonial Terrace.

Just Ten More Days Until End Californian Contest

In just ten days one of the Club Members whose names are listed below will be the fortunate owner of the Ford V-8 Tudor Sedan, now on display at The Berthold Motor Co., 7th and San Carlos streets, Carmel. Another will be the happy possessor of $200, a third will have $75 and a fourth $25 in cash awarded by The Californian. Will that one be you? It is up to you and your friends, as The Californian has no favorites.

The last Bonus Ballots will be awarded August 23, at 5 p.m. They will be for subscriptions of more than one year and for those extended from one year to more, as well as those turned in from the beginning of the campaign to August 23, at 5 p.m. The last week of the campaign the only extra votes awarded will be on groups of subscriptions, just as have been given since the beginning, from ten to any even number that may be secured.

Extended subscriptions will count as though secured at one time. Thus, a one year subscription counted for 3000 votes. If a second year is now turned in, it will count for 10,000, less the first 3000 votes, or 7,000 votes. An additional two years will count 17,000 votes, an additional four years will count 37,000 votes, and an additional nine years will count 97,000 votes.

If a five year subscription has been turned in, a club member may get a five year additional subscription and receive 60,000 more votes.

The Bonus Ballots, however, will be given on the number of subscriptions and not the number of years of the subscription.

The closing rules of the Circulation Club will be published next Wednesday, and the names of the judges who will count the final votes will be announced at that time.

This week the last coupons are published, and all now in circulation must be turned in not later than 5 p.m., Monday, August 23.

Miss Mary Wheldon is in first place this week. Mrs. Doug Rogers, who was the leader last week, is a close second, Mrs. John Mather is third, Miss Patsy Shephard is fourth and Rev. Willis G. White, fifth.

Mrs. Verne Regan is next. Miss Suzy Chapman has made a large gain this week and is close to the high candidates. Miss Ellen Skadan has gained many points as have Miss Barbara Crompton and Mrs. Roy Fraties.

The standing follows with votes cast:

Miss Mary Wheldon	443,800
Mrs. Doug Rogers	438,200
Mrs. John Mather	436,900
Miss Patsy Shephard	431,400
Mrs. Verne Regan	380,800
Miss Suzy Chapman	375,800
Miss Ellen Skadan	355,300
Miss Barbara Crompton	316,800
Mrs. Roy Frateis	187,600
Miss Happy Whyte	124,500
F. W. Bryant	107,200
Miss Dorothy De Amaral	79,100
Miss Daisy Jean Vasquez	74,700
Miss Carmen Jean Taylor	69,300

Boy Scout Camporal

The largest single gathering of boys ever held in this area will take place on October 9 and 10, when the Boy Scout Northern California Regional Camporal will be held at Pfeiffer's Redwood State Park, Big Sur, California. From two to three thousand Scouts will assemble then for an overnight encampment, it was reported recently by local Scout headquarters.

The local camporal committee, which will assist in the staging of this big event, consists of Frank E. Grantham, Pacific Grove, chairman, Ray D. Sherman, Salinas, Joe S. Amrein, Watsonville, Albert M. Davis, Salinas, Sheldon L. Gilmer, Pacific Grove, Fred W. Flodberg, Watsonville, Claude Estill, Monterey, Stanley Smith, Santa Cruz, H. S. Crossman, Francis Peterson, Chualar, and James Sugioka, Hollister. Additional members of this committee will be appointed later, Mr. Grantham stated.

In addition to the participation of qualified local Scout patrols, a service troop, composed of senior Scouts, will be organized by the Camporal committee, to act as guides, traffic officers, naturalists, etc., it was stated by Grantham.

The local Monterey Bay Area Council is host council to this activity, entertaining Scouts from the various councils in Northern California. The State Park officials at Big Sur, headed by Mr. E. E. Powell, warden, American Red Cross, medical officers, and other organizations will cooperate in providing health, safety and sanitary accommodations.

The affair will attract a number of Scout officials from various parts of the state, such as Mr. C. J. Carlson, regional Scout executive of Region 12, Boy Scouts of America, in charge of the states of California, Arizona, Utah, Nevada and the Hawaiian Islands. Scout executives A. R. Greenink, Alameda, chairman of the northern California committee, Homer Bemiss, Oakland, Hazen Showers, Sacramento, Victor Lindblad, Berkeley, Ralph Worsley, San Rafael, D. E. McKinley, San Jose, members of the committee.

Personally Speaking

Frank Wickman is spending a month in Marshfield, Oregon, before continuing East on his concert tour. Mr. Wickman has taught piano in Carmel for a number of years.

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Mrs. Lucius Powers and her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Harrington, with Joan and Ruth Harrington, of Fresno, are in Carmel occupying the summer home of the Powers family.

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The Henry Dickinsons returned last week end from a three weeks' motor trip to Vancouver, B. C. They took the coast road all the way up, and report that the scenery was very beautiful.

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Mary Barthlemess is returning for her third year at the Douglas School after attending schools in England and on the continent while her family were in England.

Annual Rummage Sale

The ladies of the auxiliary will hold the annual Community Church rummage sale from August 21 to 28 this year. It will be located in the shop next to Claywell's drug store on Dolores street.

Articles for sale—toys, furniture, books, pictures, bedding, clothing, shoes, hats, rugs, lamps, fancy work, umbrellas, etc., are being received by Mrs. Jessie Askew, on San Carlos street between 4th and 5th.

In charge of the affair are Mrs. Everett Smith, president of the auxiliary, Miss Frances Farrington and Mrs. Jessie Askew, markers, Mrs. Peggy Logan, in charge of the salesroom, and Mrs. Mabel Hart, in charge of the proceeds.

The rummage sale is always an interesting Village feature and will only last a week this year. This means that those who wish to contribute do so as soon as possible for the convenience of the markers. Proceeds from the sale go to the general church fund.

Terry Ogden is leaving tomorrow for a four day's business trip to Los Angeles. On his return, Mr. Ogden, a camera portraitist, will open his studio in the Seven Arts court.

The Soviet air force is generally conceded to be numerically superior to that of any European power although some of Russia's 5,000 planes are obsolescent.

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Notice Of Intention Circulate Petition Published Friday

Contrary to rumor, there seems to be little feeling, except in certain relatively small groups, either for or against the recall election to be held within the next few weeks. Notice of intention to circulate a petition demanding recall of Mayor Everett Smith and Councilmen Rowntree and Burge was published Friday. The three councilmen have 14 days in which to make answer to charges against them, and twenty-one days must elapse before the petition, which must be signed by 25 per cent of the voters who voted for that same office last year, may be circulated. It is believed that none of the councilmen in question will make answer.

Notice of intention to circulate said petition is published in full below.

No further development in the recall movement is expected for at least 14 days.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CIRCULATE AND SUBMIT TO THE REQUISITE NUMBER OF QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA FOR SIGNATURE, TO SECURE SUCH SIGNATURES, AND TO FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK OF SAID CITY A PETITION DEMANDING THE RECALL OF CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SAID CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA, TOGETHER WITH THE REASONS FOR SUCH PROPOSED RECALL.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned proponents intend and propose to circulate and submit or to cause to be circulated and submitted, to not less than the requisite number of qualified electors of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, for their signatures, to secure such signatures, and to file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, a petition demanding the recall of the following members of the city council of said City, pursuant to the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide for the recall of elective officers of incorporated cities and towns, and to repeal Chapter 32, Statutes of 1911 Extra Session, entitled 'An Act to provide for the recall of elective officers of incorporated cities and towns,' approved January 2, 1912" approved May 8, 1931, as amended and that the members of said city council sought to be recalled are as follows:

Everett Smith (term expires April 14, 1940)

Joseph A. Burge (term expires April 10, 1938)

Bernard Rowntree (term expires April 10, 1938)

The following is a statement of the reasons for such proposed recell, namely:

The unfair and entirely illegal dismissal of an extremely competent public servant by the city council of Carmel-by-the-Sea has resulted in the discovery, by the signatories and many other citizens, of gross incompetence and inefficiency on the part of three of our council members.

Waste of taxpayers' money in connection with the new firehouse and the recent audit; needless waste for outside legal opinions while the city attorney was receiving $75 monthly for his services; ordinances and resolutions haphazardly adopted and inimical to public interest; council meetings held contrary to law and action taken without the public's knowledge—this waste, inefficiency and incompetence has been traced directly to Mayor Everett Smith, Councilman Bernard Rowntree, and Councilman Joseph A. Burge.

When an aroused public, forced to take direct action for its own protection, demanded an explanation from the city council, it was told by Mayor Smith, supported by Councilmen Rowntree and Burge, that "the council is not accountable to the public for its actions."

When elected representatives of the citizenry take far-reaching and hazardous action in secret and disavow responsibility no other course is left except to recall such men from office before further damage is done to the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and an increased burden laid on the taxpayers.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said proponents have hereunto subscribed their names at Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, this 13th day of August, 1937.

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Miss Tilly Polak invited the members of the St. James Repertory company and a few others to her studio on Saturday night following the performance of "Kind Lady" at the Greenroom. It was and informal and delightful party, but unfortunately one of the last this group will enjoy in Carmel, for they are planning to leave on Thursday of this week.

Basil Rathbone has been playing the Cypress Point golf course this week, and was a guest at the Lodge. He was seen once or twice on Ocean avenue—an event for Carmelites, because Rathbone has a big following in the village.

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The closing of the Douglas School Summer Camp brought a number of parents to the Peninsula last week-end. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Einstein, who came over from Fresno for their daughter, Margaret.

Business Association Hears Sen. Tickle

The Carmel Business Association held a meeting last Friday evening at Pine Inn at which State Senator E. H. Tickle, Carmel Highlands, gave a talk on the legislation passed by the state legislature on its last session. He also answered questions.

Senator Tickle suggested that Peninsula business men continue with the present plan to develop the Carmel-San Simeon link of the Roosevelt highway as a secondary route, pointing out that the highway will not be turned into a primary route for a considerable time and that the highway is of great commercial value to the Peninsula.

The speaker said that the state had appropriated $5,000,000 to build a California exhibit at the coming San Francisco Golden Gate Exposition, which money will be divided among the counties. County exhibits and advertising funds will be obtained through county taxation. In connection with this matter, Senator Tickle proposed that the eight coastal counties containing 13 of the Missions organize to put on a Mission exhibit in the California building of the Exposition in 1939.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

A large number of new fiction books have come into the Carmel Library recently. The one which has received the most comment and the greatest number of requests is Wilkins' "And So—Victoria". Others are "Night Between the Rivers" by Duffus, "One Life One Kopek" by Duranty, "Queen's Folly," by Beebe, "Regency," by Murray, "Heart Has Wings," by Baldwin, "Bugles Blow No More," by Dowdey, "Ranger Way," by Cunningham, "Crime Wave at Blandings," by Wodehouse, "Heather of the High Hand," by Stringer, "Candle in the Sun," by Roberts, "Studs Lonigan," by Farrell.

Tilly Polak entertained the St. James Repertory Company Saturday night, following their performance of "Kind Lady."

Visiting Dr. Francis Conlan at Pebble Beach last week were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Coscon, of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mather entertained at a dinner party Saturday night. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Al Lowe, of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Hap Hasty, Pat Coblentz, Eleanor George, Charlotte Lowe, Delbert Barron, Quilman Davis, Sam Coblentz and Stu Marble.

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Miss Elizabeth Ullman is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Irwin in Monterey. Miss Ullman, a frequent Carmel visitor, specialized in kindergarten work in Boston and has been teaching at Miss Harker's School for the past year, making a marked success in her work.

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Saw Mrs. Grant Wallace in Carmel over the wee-end. She reports that son, Kevin, who is now working on the San Francisco Examiner, has been covering the army maneuvers at San Luis Obispo.

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Bruce Cator left Tuesday, the 10th, to go back to West Point for two years. He motored as far East as Philadelphia with Sacha Jacobinoff.

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"Elephant Boy" To Play Filmarte Again

When you combine the artistic talents of Alexander Korda, who makes such films as "Rembrandt" "Fire Over England" and "Knight Without Armor," with Robert Flaherty, noted for such classics as "Tabu," Moana," and "Man of Aran," a masterpiece usually results.

Flaherty's latest expedition took him to India, kept him there two years, and resulted in "Elephant Boy" the Alexander Korda production which opens for five days at the Filmarte Theatre beginning Sunday.

Ready for its second showing in Carmel, and still before the first run for San Francisco, "Elephant Boy" holds the distinction of being the picture which holds all Filmarte attendance records. Last June the Filmarte played "Elephant Boy" for four days, and held it over for another four to accommodate the capacity crowds who swarmed the little theatre to see it. The large crowds who were unable to get seats for the original showing are responsible for this second showing starting Sunday. The management requests that attendance be early for both seven and nine o'clock performances, as there will be no reservations.

Wherever it has been shown "Elephant Boy" has continued to attract the same kinds of audiences as it did when first playing the Filmarte. In California, however, there have been only a few selected engagements, as it has not been generally released to the large towns as yet.

Based on Kipling's "Toomai of the Elephants," one of the principal tales in "The Second Jungle Book," "Elephant Boy" represents one of the most thrilling and ambitious natural-background films ever to come to the screen.

Maharajah Cooperates

With the exception of a few interior sequences which were filmed in the studio, the picture was photographed entirely on location in India, with the cooperation of the Maharajah of Mysore. As the title implies, the theme of the story deals with a young Indian boy and his strange mastery of the elephant. The leading role, that of a twelve-year-old mahout, is portrayed by Sabu, a handsome native youngster, whose father, before his death, was in the employ of the Maharajah.

Returning to the University of California this week are Sue Brownell, Betty Reynolds, Joe Schoeninger, and Sam Coblentz.

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Bill Judson and Bill Austin have returned from a week spent in Hollywood as the guests of Eric Coster.

"Sabu"

Mrs. Madeline Ullman, daughter of Frank Powers, who with Frank Devendorf founded Carmel, spent last week end here with Mrs. James Vernon Short.

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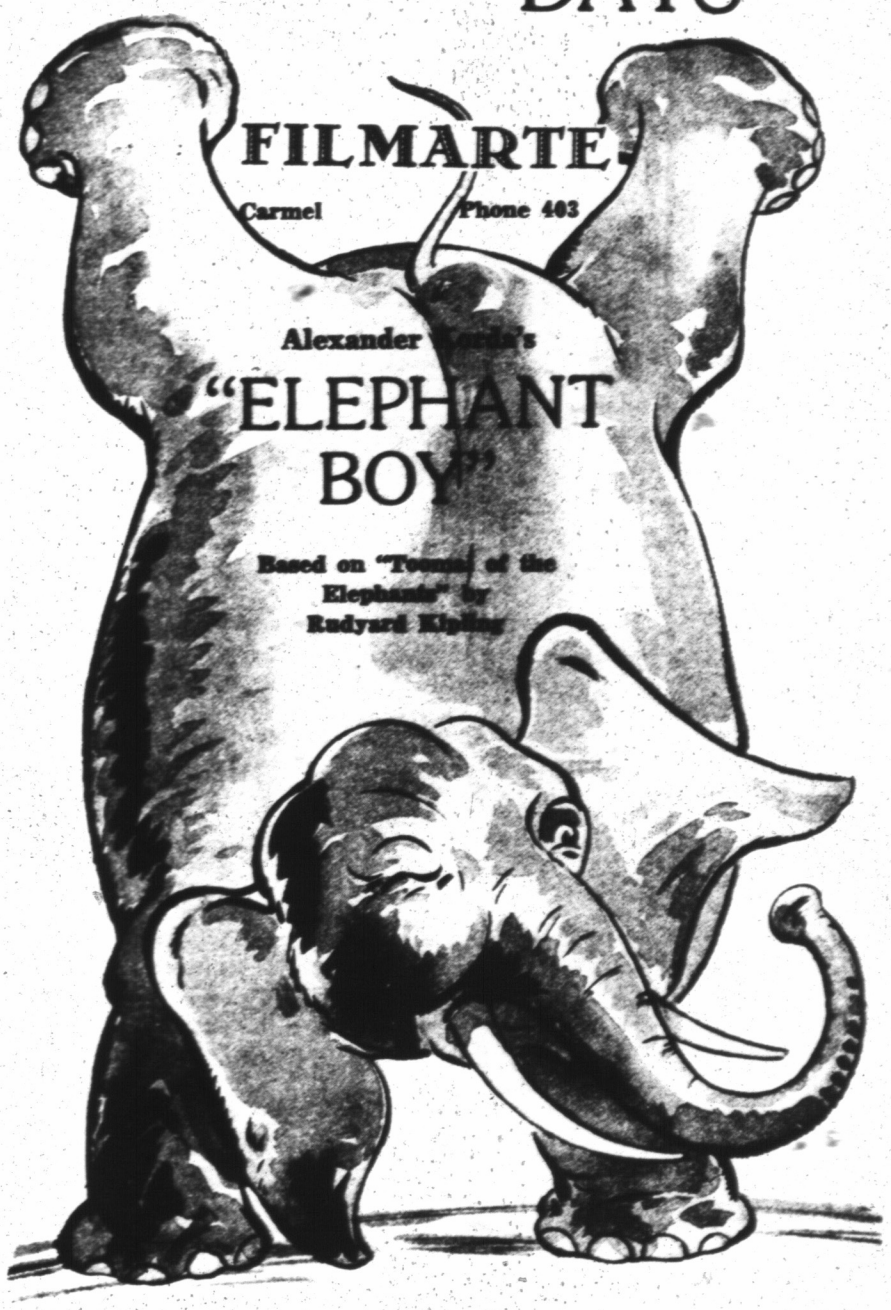

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Sunset School — 1908

This is a picture of Sunset School taken about 1908 by Louis Slevin. At that time Mrs. Willis G. White was principle. There were very few more than 25 pupils enrolled at that time. This picture is in decided contrast to the beautiful structure on the opposite page.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits to date for the month of August have already reached a total almost twice as large as those for the entire month of July. The total for August to date is $21,934 with four permits as against $12,640 for July with quite a few more permits. According to Birney Adams, building inspector, there will be more permits forthcoming this month.

The four permits issued this far this month are as follows:

Everett Smith, one story cottage at Carpenter near Ocean, $4800. Miles Bain builder.

Mrs. Hermoine Greenlee, two story frame house at San Antonio near 13th $9584. E. Bixler, builder.

Mrs. Virginia Carr, one story frame and rustic residence, $7200, day labor.

Margaret C. Clampett, additions at Dolores and Second, $350. Day labor.

FLASHLIGHTS

Walking up the street one day recently we saw in one block—that of Pine Inn—the Following automobile licenses, Ohio, Texas, Oregon, Michigan, New Mexico, Illinois, Louisiana, and before we reached the corner Rhode Island passed us. Carmel is certainly growing up, and according to what we've been hearing lately, very few Carmelites appreciate this invasion.

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Bright characters—the man who came into Bert Heron's bookshop, walked down the center aisle, and said, "This is a bookshop." Coming to Carmel seems to be a liberal education for some.

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It is reported that Phil Nesbitt is having a housewarming tomorrow night, and that the public is cordially invited, but anyone interested had better see Phil and find out if it means you.

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Whitney's is not only the hub of Carmel, but seems to be the hub of the universe to some. Louis Conlan even expected to hire a stenographer there, and offered to pay the munificent sum of five cents an hour.

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There's another wasted talent in our Village—and tourists just panting to see talent. Why can't someone furnish the bubbles and get Smitty off to a big career as a bubble dancer.

Ded Monte attracted many of Carmel's younger set Friday night. Among them were Beverly and Joan Tait, Sue Brownell, Maxine Harbolt, Florence Brown, Norris Thompson, Pat Coblentz, Virginia Wheeler, Janet Wild, John and Jackie Smith, Wiott Rankin, Bud Fox, Ted Gottlieb, John von Salza, Stu Marble, Bernard MacMenamin, and Bob Rand.

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Mrs. T. J. Brennan returned to Carmel Thursday night after some time spent in the Philippine Islands.

CELEBRATES FIRST HIGH MASS IN MISSION HERE

Father William Chassagne, who spent his early youth on the Monterey Peninsula and attended Monterey high school, and who was ordained a Roman Catholic priest in Rome last December, celebrated his first solemn high mass in the Carmel Mission Sunday morning.

Father Chassagne is the brother of Leon Chassagne and is a nephew of Mrs. Edward Doud and Mrs. Thomas Doud, well known Peninsula residents.

It was fitting that Father Chassagne should celebrate his first mass here as many years ago during his summer vacations he acted as a guide through the Mission. He has spent the last six years studying in the North American College in Rome, and has recently received his appointment as junior assistant in Santa Cruz Catholic parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw Williams, the former Abbie Lou Bosworth, left yesterday for San Francisco to take the train to Detroit, where they will get a car and motor to Missouri to visit relatives. They then plan to visit the Henry Williams in Maine, followed by a month in New York and a while in Washington, D. C. The Williams will be away about three months.

COOPERATION

Everyone had a good time at the Fair; the entire thing was well handled and shows what can be accomplished when we all work together.

Next year we hope the Fair will be bigger and better than ever, for we can profit from our experience of this year and iron out any rough spots we have noticed.

Let us hope that the fine spirit shown by the Peninsula at large in producing such great community events will continue.

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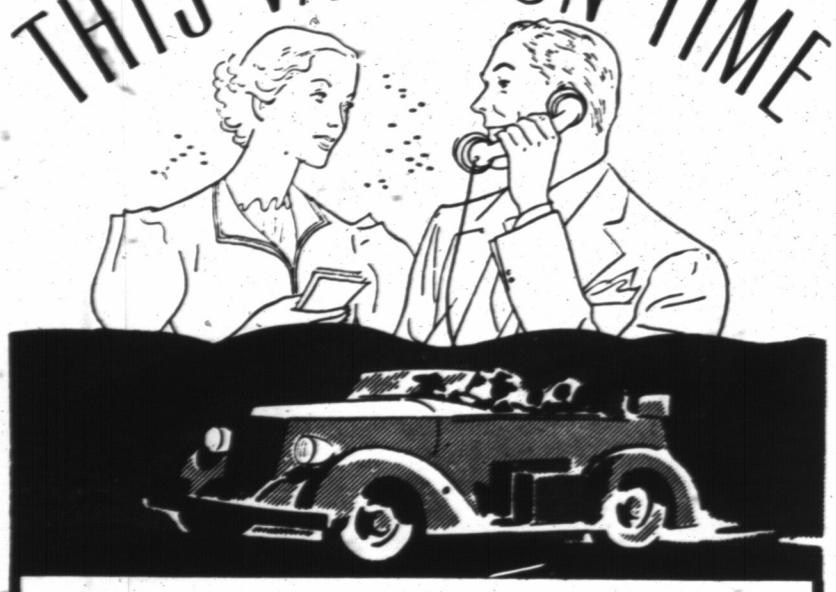

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Sunset School — 1937

As everyone knows, this is the present Sunset School, which will be in session Monday, August 30th. This photograph was taken by Richard Bare.

Scout Fall Program

Fall activities and program was released today for the Monterey Bay Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. These activities, for both Scouts and adult Scouters, cover a wide range, and indicate increased interest in the local Scout movement.

Dr. H. G. Watters, president of the council, is calling a council business meeting for early September, to be held at the Rio Del Mar. In addition, the administrative department of this area's Scout organization will hold seven district meetings in Carmel, Gabilan, Hollister, Monterey, Salinas, Santa Cruz, and Watsonville, Doctor Watters reported.

The organization and training committee, headed by Roy J. Ladra, of Salinas, plans a camping training course, and the formation of new Scout units where needed.

The advancement committee, Claude Irish, Watsonville, chairman, is priming his committee for district courts of honor in October.

Finance campaigns during September and October will be guided by Sheldon L. Gilmer, Pacific Grove, chairman, Alger Fast, Monterey, H. S. Crossman, W. L. Gaddum, Byington Ford, Carmel, N. A. Paul, King City, Claude Wendt, Soledad, A. F. Franscioni, Mission, Don A. Gilchrist, Gonzales, B. F. Peterson, Chualar, Lyle A. Cooper, Hollister, F. E. Faria, San Juan, Phil S. George, Axel P. Holm, F. E. Dayton, Salinas, Roy W. Bagby, A. H. Foster, Santa Cruz, Louis H. Lopes, Watsonville.

Camping will be featured by the Northern California Regional Camporal, to be held at Pfeiffer's Redwood State Park, Big Sur, October 9-10, when several thousand Scouts from Northern California will conduct an overnight encampment, Fred Walti Jr., Santa Cruz chairman of this committee announced.

Supervised by the council's civic service and activities committee, district fun-o-rals will be held in the seven districts of the area early in the fall, T. B. Hawkins, Hollister, chairman of the committee, stated.

Bill Heron, son of Bert Heron, is down from San Francisco on a two week's vacation. Bill entered the golf tournament now playing at Pebble Beach.

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President

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DR. MACDOUGAL RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL MONDAY

Dr. D. T. MacDougal was released from the Peninsula Community hospital Monday, following some time spent there as the result of a leg infection contracted on a field trip down the coast. Doctor MacDougal, director of the Carnegie Coastal Laboratory here, and a noted scientist, returned to his home at the Carmel Highlands.

FOUR ARRESTS THIS WEEK

During the past week there have been four arrests in Carmel, two for being drunk in public places and two for illegal parking. On August 13, Nick Escobar and Cameron Waite were arrested for being intoxicated in a public place and George Davidson for double parking. On August 12 Harry E. Gasper was arrested for faulty parking of his truck.

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Repetory Company Last Performance

The last performance of the St. James Repertory Company was given Sunday night in the Golden Bough Green Room. This group of unusually gifted actors expected to find understanding and appreciation in Carmel, but Carmel seems to have grown completely away from the theater. It is strange how far we have gone from the original dreams of the founders of the town—the art center Carmel was to be—now known for our shops.

"Kind Lady" was the final play offered, and it was beautifully done, a smooth, finished production, well cast and well staged. Without exaggeration it can be said that it was one of the best things ever done in Carmel, and it should have played to full houses every night.

Lovely, youthful Peggy Burke, who had the lead, was most convincing as the wealthy, middle-aged victim of a gang of crooks. Harry Hedger should go on with his theatrical work. His sinister role as "Mr. Edwards" could not have been bettered. George T. Bolton as a smooth crook outdid his other excellent performancea. Others in the cast were Edith Rose, Thelma Miller, who made a charming "Lucy Weston," Patricia Lee, Faye Emerson, Robert Galbraith, Kendall Power, Ellen Leslie, Peter Lundberg and Everett Gray, who did excellently.

FRENCH CLUB MEETS

About 25 people enjoyed an entertainment given by Madame Pirenne at the home of Mrs. Le Conte in Hatton Fields last Tuesday afternoon. A one-act play, "Ollonsielle," was charmingly presented by Madame's pupils, Frances Parke, Jacqueline Clark, Margaret Collins, and Frances Passailaique. Gladys Steele rendered several French songs in her inimitable way, and Madame Pirenne then recited three of her own poems dealing with Carmel and San Francisco. At the conclusion of the entertainment refreshments were served by the hostess, who was assisted by the younger members of the "Cercle Francais."

Ralph James, a well known ex-Carmelite, now living in Oakland, spent last week end in Carmel.

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